

SOCIETY

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Culhoun Walters at their home in Inman Park, Atlanta, Ga. Miss Walters is being entertained a great deal, and is one of the most attractive out-of-town visitors to Atlanta for opera week.

To Visit in Pennsylvania. Miss Virginia Dance, of Danville, Va., who is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dance on Park Avenue, will later go to Chester, Pa., where she will be the guest of her brother, Willis Dance. Miss Dance will also spend some time

are asked to be present at this meeting.

In and Out of Town. Miss Charlotte Jones will join Miss Blair's party going abroad in June and remaining until September.

Miss Rebecca Hickok, of Baltimore, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Gowin Boykin, on West Avenue.

Warrington Wise is quite ill at his residence, 305 West Franklin Street.

William Matthews, who has been vis-



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Social Side of Washington

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

Washington, April 8.—This was extra session week on the national capital calendar, and ever since the opening day of the Sixty-second Congress interesting scenes in the legislative halls have been witnessed. The House and Senate were crowded with new members and old favorites. In surprising numbers, gray-haired sires who never thought they would see a New England Democrat sworn in as a United States Senator, disappeared from the four corners of the Union, to see a husband, father or brother inducted into office as a member of the House of Representatives, and at least one child in arms, made up an audience which filled the galleries of both House and Senate several hours before the constitutionally appointed time for the session's opening.

As usual, on special occasions at the Capitol, there were no public galleries on Tuesday. Admission was therefore, by card only, and to their sorrow, many would-be witnesses to the historic scene found that regular reserved gallery seats went down before a rather awkward sized white card, marked in bold black letters, "Good for this date only." Without the latter pastebards no one could get even to the gallery floor of the Capitol before 10:15, when the doors were to open, and only the first comers after that hour got within ten feet of a viewpoint of the scene of action so great was the crowd.

Friends and relatives of veteran lawmakers went early, stood in line from thirty minutes to one hour and a half, were pushed and, yes, occasionally shoved, by their kind, and finally succeeded in getting a seat which they were privileged to have, and to hold until hunger forced them to move on. Among the less fortunate there was a figurative weeping and gnashing of teeth, for not a few of them, after

week, Horace Taft, of New York; Mrs. Champ Clark, who sat in the "Speaker's pew" with her son and daughter of the same name, and had as her special guest, Mrs. James R. Mann, of Illinois, wife of the minority leader of the House, and members of the foreign diplomatic corps, for whom seats were always reserved, were exceptions to the rule of late arrivals.

The writer has seen the opening of many Congresses of the United States, but not since flowers were excluded from the legislative halls has the occasion been so picturesque as that which inaugurated what promises to become another "Young America" movement, comparable to the one led by Clay and Calhoun in Washington just a century ago.

The newness of the 125 recruits in the House of Representatives and sixteen new Senators added to the effect, as did also the brightness of midday's spring millinery, but the wailing of hundreds of flags by the Democratic members and their special favorites, Governor Judson Harmon, of Ohio, and William Jennings Bryan, of Nebraska, while the entire body rose to greet the newly-elected Speaker, being escorted to the "throne" by a chosen committee of his colleagues, was a supremely picturesque moment in the beginning of the trial of "Miss Democracy."

Among the prominent visitors of the week, besides those above mentioned, are Mrs. Lionel Marks, known to the literary world as Josephine Preston Peabody, author of "The Piper," who is the guest of Professor and Mrs. William Fleming; Dr. William Fenwick Harris, of Cambridge, president of the American branch of the American Archaeological Society, who addressed the March meeting of the Washington chapter of the Society last evening at

imaginative webs, but are vouched for as flesh and blood realities.

Good-bys were said this week to Miss Ashton, the typically English niece of Mrs. Bryce, who has been the guest of her uncle and aunt at the British embassy ever since their return to Washington at the beginning of the year. Miss Ashton sailed to-day from New York for Morris England, carrying with her the good wishes of a wide circle of friends, and the hope that she will soon return. The latter desire is especially keen with a certain young Washingtonian, who is said to have declared that he will do all he can to persuade her to turn the tables on the American girls who go to the British Isles for a holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Esmond Ovey, the latter formerly Miss Blanch Emory, of this city, and the former a popular member of the British embassy staff, are now en route to the United States and are expected to arrive in Washington in time for the post-Easter galas. Mr. and Mrs. Ovey went abroad just before Christmas and have since been visiting their English kinsfolk.

Count Felix von Brussel-Schaubeck, of the Austro-Hungarian embassy, is another returning member of the diplomatic corps for whom glad hand will be extended at an early date.

A very interesting trio in town this week included former United States Ambassador to Germany Andrew D. White, Ambassador David Jayne Hill, of present day fame, and Secretary of the Navy George von L. Meyer, who would-be Uncle Sam's representative at the court of Berlin. Back of Mr. Meyer's evident desire to re-enter the foreign service of his country is said to be Mrs. Meyer's preference for a foreign society, and the fact that the marriageable daughters of the house are more popular with Europeans than they are with their own countrymen. The family's long residence abroad during Mr. Meyer's regime as American ambassador to St. Petersburg and then in Rome.

Evidence of the "spring fever" in Washington is found at the City Hall, where marriage licenses were granted on an unusual number. Among them were the following from Virginia in a single day: Richard H. Gifford and Lena Hill, of Richmond; Irving Lumpkin and Ethel Seeger, of Culpeper; Charles E. Nunnally, of Roanoke; and George Coleman, of Appomattox county; Wm. M. Richardson and Wilma M. Brown, of Petersburg; Arthur Turner, of Prince George county; and Pearl Smith, of this city; Wm. C. Jones and Florence M. Rogers, of Norfolk; James A. Bowden and Harriet Carpenter, and

Henry Scott and Bertha A. Reynolds, of Alexandria.

Another marriage of Virginians attracting much interest here was that of Miss Vertie Mae Spicer, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Spicer, to George William Smith, of Orange. The ceremony took place at the home of Rev. David Reed, of Riverdale, Md., in the presence of the immediate families of the contracting parties. Miss Hattie Nicholson, of this city, was maid of honor, and the bride's brother, Fred A. Spicer, also of this city, was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Smith will be at home after April 15 at Orange, Va.

GRACE TORTER HOPKINS.

Culpeper Social News

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

Culpeper, Va., April 8.—Mrs. Hugh Hamilton returned home Saturday after a pleasant visit to Mr. and Mrs. Roslin Vass.

Mrs. Richard Townes spent Saturday in Culpeper, the guest of her cousin Mrs. M. M. Gillespie.

Mrs. Herndon Rixey and children spent several days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Williams, at "Fairview."

Harris Browning, of Richmond, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Browning.

Douglas Somerville was an over-Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Nulle, at their home, in Culpeper.

Mrs. Charles Wine left Tuesday for Lynchburg, where she will visit her daughter, Miss Edna Wine, a student at the University of Virginia. She will be gone about ten days.

Henry O'Bannon Cooper, of Alexandria, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Cooper.

Mrs. Carey Humphreys and little son, Knicker, of Brandy, have been the guests of Mrs. Humphreys' parents, Colonel and Mrs. S. L. Humphreys, of Culpeper.

Mrs. Roy Hume left this week for Washington, where she will be the guest of Mr. Saunders.

Mrs. Charlie Guiley, of Staunton, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. Thomas, at their home on Railroad Street.

Mrs. John Burroughs, accompanied by her sister, Miss Elma Wagner, of Washington, who is visiting her, spent Saturday with friends in Culpeper. Miss Wagner expects shortly to leave for a visit to relatives in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Saunders Seiden, of Utah, Ala., have just arrived to take possession of the farm recently purchased from Mr. Mahoney, of Mitchell's, and are stopping at Thomas Slaughter's. This estate was formerly owned by Mrs. Frank Hall, and was her home for many years.

Miss Fannie Perry, who has been spending the winter abroad, will sail from Genoa, Italy, on the 20th of April for New York, where she will spend some time before returning to her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Samuelson were guests at a luncheon given by Mrs. Hamilton Smith, of "Glenmore," in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Griswold Smith, who is her Calumet guest.

Raleigh T. Green, of Clarksville, was in Culpeper for several days this week. Green and children, who joined him in Clarksville last week, probably come to "Green Lawn," their home in Culpeper, for the summer months. Mr. and Mrs. Chelf have returned from a delightful visit to relatives in Richmond.

Mrs. William Rotts, of Rixeyville, was the guest this week of her niece, Mrs. Chelf, who is her Calumet guest. Payne, who is also the guest of Mrs. Chelf, spent Sunday with friends in Culpeper, returning to Culpeper the first of the week.

John Randolph and Fitzhugh White, students of Woodberry Forest, spent Saturday, Sunday and Monday with friends in Culpeper.

Miss Gertrude Armstrong has had as her guests this week her brothers, Sam and Wood, of Baltimore, who spent Sunday and Monday at the home of Mrs. C. H. Hume, of Culpeper, who was at the old home for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Slaughter, of "Brookfield," spent Sunday in Culpeper with Captain Edwin Slaughter, who left that evening to join the army of Mexico, on the Mexican border.

Mrs. Herbert Lewis and Mrs. Lewis and Frank Gillespie, Jr., were all week-end guests of Wallace Lewis at his home in Culpeper.

The House-to-House Bible Class met Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Miss Kate Perry, who read a very able paper on the subject matter of the lesson—the first chapter of Corinthians. The next meeting of the class will be on the Wednesday after Easter, with Miss Saddle Gillespie.

Mrs. Hume Strother, accompanied by her sister, Miss Mary Coons, and Miss Annie Bickers, spent several days recently in Charlottesville.

Mrs. Johnson and daughters, Misses Frances and Rose Johnson, have been the guests of Mrs. Alfred Pulliam for the past week, and left Thursday for Concord, N. C., where they will spend other friends before going to the home recently purchased in Spartanburg, S. C.

Jack Ware, of Berryville, was the recent guest of his brother, Roy, Josiah W. Ware, at the rectory, on his return from a meeting of the executive board of the State Normal School, at Farmville, which he has for eighteen years been a member.

"Billiken" Club on Saturday at the residence of Mrs. Charles Goldaborough, on Piedmont Street. The club members present were Misses Louise Fray, Della Holton, Lella Finley, Alice Carter, Bessie Carter and Miss Sutherland. The guests of the club were Misses Mary Vass, Nell Vass, Mildred Hill, Elizabeth Ridd, Florence Woodford, Byrd Law. The highest score was the prize, a silver shoehorn. Refreshments were served.

West Point Social News

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

West Point, Va., April 8.—The Town Council, in regular monthly meeting discussed at length, health propositions in all its phases, looking forward

to a healthy summer. The Town Council also passed resolutions asking Senators Martin and Swanson and Congressman Lamb to assist in establishing at this place a marine hospital, in the near future.

After months of labor, the Board of Trade, of Norfolk, announces that a steamer line will be established between Norfolk and West Point, the first steamer leaving Norfolk, May 1, making as many trips during the week as time will allow.

Mrs. Thomas W. Sharp, of Norfolk, who spent the past ten days with Mrs. Thomas P. Bagby, has returned to her home. Mrs. Sharp having lived for many years in West Point, was cordially welcomed by her many friends.

At a business meeting of the West Point Baptist Church this week, the report of the committee was adopted, which advised, after investigation, that the church be repaired, rather than build a new one just at this time.

Cards are out for the marriage of Miss Ella Laurie Fleet, daughter, of Rev. Alexander Fleet, of King and Queen, to Robert Grey Dillard, of Essex, the ceremony to take place at Brunston Baptist Church, Saturday evening, April 15, at 6 o'clock.

Willis Sharpe Kilmer, of Binghamton, N. Y., has purchased the entire property of about 800 acres, known as the Lu Grange farm, from Judge J. G. Deane, of Richmond. Mr. Kilmer bought about 200 acres of the farm about two years ago.

Mrs. G. E. Taylor, of Richmond, who has been on a visit to her sister in Urbana, has returned to her home. Miss Mary Lou Jones, of Urbana, spent a few days with Miss Olive Gault this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman, of Port Jersey, N. Y., arrived on Friday to make their home in West Point in the future.

EFFICIENCY THAT'S THE THING

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Thousands—yes, tens of thousands—of men grow old ten years too soon. The daily duties of business grow arduous early in the afternoon and evening finds them tired mentally and physically.

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Lamb Meetings This Week.

An important meeting of the Junior Oakwood Association will be held on Wednesday afternoon, April 12, at 4 o'clock, at 2721 East Broad Street. As preparations for Memorial Day will be decided upon at this time, all members are urged to be present.

St. John's Circle of King's Daughters will hold their regular meeting to-morrow afternoon at half-past 4 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Joseph Sorge, 2810 East Franklin Street. A full attendance is desired.

A meeting of the executive committee of the Richmond Education Association will be held on Wednesday afternoon, April 12, at 4:15 o'clock, in the John Marshall High School, Room 116. All members of this organization,

Helen Reid will sail from New York April 18 to spend some time in Europe.

Mrs. Lawton, of Michigan, spent the past week with her cousins, the Misses Vaden, at "Buck Hill," en route from the Bermudas.

Mrs. James Riddle, of Petersburg, is spending some time here with her sister, Mrs. Alfred Witherspoon.

Mr. and Mrs. U. Kennon, of Powhatan, who have been the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Julian Binford, have returned to their home.

Lieutenant Fred R. Garlin was in the city for a few hours early in the week on his way to Mobile, Ala., having been transferred from Fort Monroe to Fort Morgan.

coming many hundred miles to see loved ones actually become national lawmakers, and to note the unique customs which mark the opening of a new Congress," reached the Capitol too late to gain the coveted point of vantage in any one of the several galleries. The scene was almost pitiful, so keen was the disappointment, until the hold-over Sergeant-at-Arms, Colonel Henry A. Casson, followed the custom of his predecessors by granting "the privilege of the door of the House or Senate" to the gallery overflow.

It was that when the hands of the official clock pointed to the noon hour, and the clerk—the Speaker had not yet been formally elected—called the House to order in extraordinary session, the almost 500 Congressmen, representing 32,000,000 people, were surrounded by a three-deep human fringe, composed of men, women and children, assembled from Maine to California and from Alaska to Florida.

Mrs. Taft, accompanied by the President's brother and house guest of the home of Mrs. F. Berger Moran, formerly of Virginia, out now of Washington, and a party including Mrs. S. M. Kohn, Mr. and Mrs. Luft, of New York, and Ensign and Mrs. Gerald Childs, of Richmond, who were here for the marriage of Miss Ruth Hayer and Ernest F. Herivel, whose future home will be in Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bryan and the bridegroom's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Williams, of England, were other witnesses to the ceremony, which by the way, was a very quiet affair, performed by the Rev. William Taylor Snyder, of the Episcopal Church of the Incarnation, in the presence of a goodly company of friends and relatives of the youthful bride's family. Mrs. W. W. Bridge, formerly Miss Fairbank, niece of former Vice President Fairbanks and daughter-in-law of Mr. Bryan's great friend, Col. C. Bridge, of Capitol Hill, was matron of honor, and the bride's only attendant. After the wedding reception and supper, the newly-married couple for a short wedding trip in this country, and on April 20, will start for Cuba to their new home in Vera Cruz, where the bridegroom is in charge of a gold mine owned by American capital.

The District of Columbia Daughters of the American Revolution are using the quiet Lenten days "to put their house in order" for the coming of the Nineteenth Continental Congress of the greatest patriotic organization in the world. To this end, the annual conference will be held at the home of Graeme Smallwood, State regent for the District, presiding. Reports showed that seven new chapters had been organized during the year, with an added membership of more than 100 Daughters. Contrary to expectation, the meeting was one of perfect harmony from beginning to end, no candidates for national offices were introduced, but an earnest desire for united action in the original work of the society was expressed by every one of the thirty-nine chapters, and under the caption of patriotic education, a strong branch of the Patriots' Memorial School for the education of mountain children of the South, who as the descendants of Union patriots deserve the support of all who love their country.

There is good prospect of Washington's society having a visit in the near future from General Khrushchev, of the Imperial Russian army, who is touring the world with his beautiful young daughter, Nina, in the hope of getting her to forget that the man to whom she gave her heart's first love and narrowly escaped giving her hand in marriage was her mother's son, who was lost in infancy, a quarter of a century ago. The discovery of the relationship in the niche of the altar made under circumstances that would confound the weaver of

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